WHAT - SBN/NOAAPORT EXPANSION UPDATE

DATE - NOVEMBER 03, 2011

SBN EXPANSION NOTIFICATION - NOV 03, 2011

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THE FIRST IN A SERIES OF NEW PRODUCTS HAS BEEN SCHEDULED TO BE ADDED FOR DISSEMINATION VIA THE NOAAPORT/SATELLITE BROADCAST NETWORK -SBN-.

ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2011, BEGINNING ABOUT 1300 UTC, NCEP WILL BEGIN DISSEMINATING THE HIGH-RESOLUTION WINDOW FORECAST SYSTEM --HIRESW-- DATA PRODUCTS VIA THE NWSTG2 CHANNEL OF THE NOAAPORT/SBN NETWORK.

HIRESW INCLUDES RUNS OF THE WEATHER RESEARCH AND FORECAST -WRF-, ADVANCED RESEARCH WRF -ARW-, AND THE NONHYDROSTATUS MESOSCALE MODEL -NMM-. THESE RUNS ARE MADE OVER 6 DOMAINS COVERING THE CONTIGUOUS UNITED STATES, ALASKA, HAWAII, PUERTO RICO, AND GUAM. THE HIRESW GENERATES GRIDDED OUTPUT IN GRIB2 FORMAT FOR 5KM GRIDS FOR EACH DOMAIN.

THE RUN SCHEDULE AND ASSOCIATED DOMAINS FOLLOW BELOW

0000 UTC - EASTERN US, HAWAII, AND GUAM

0600 UTC - WESTERN US AND PUERTO RICO

1200 UTC - EASTERN US, HAWAII, AND GUAM

1800 UTC - ALASKA AND PUERTO RICO

MORE INFORMATION ON -HIRESW- AND ITS ASSOCIATED PRODUCTS CAN BE FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

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A COMPLETE EXPLANATION OF THE WMO HEADERS FOR ALL OF THE HIRESW PRODUCTS CAN BE FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

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